



Position	Conservation Technician IV – Watershed Program Assistant
Location	South Lake Tahoe, California
Salary	\$15.67– \$17.29 per hour (D.O.E.) + Health Benefits
Duration	One year, 12 Month position (Feb 13, 2012 - Feb 8, 2013).
Primary Duties	<p>This is a Tahoe Resource Conservation District position working with the California Tahoe Conservancy. The Conservation Technician in this position will be responsible for various technical and logistical aspects of developing and implementing both large and small scale watershed restoration projects. The Watershed Program Assistant will work on restoration projects under the general direction of technical experts. The incumbent must be able to work independently, exercise initiative, and solve problems. The position will involve a variety of experiences associated with project management of wildlife habitat enhancement and watershed restoration projects. Tasks will include: performing compliance monitoring during construction of a large-scale stream restoration project, development of project effectiveness monitoring plans, performing project-effectiveness monitoring on several large scale restoration projects, assessing State lands for restoration potential, assisting with the review of restoration plans and/or CEQA documents, assisting with the planning of projects for the Conservancy's restoration crew (including project design, compliance, oversight, and logistics), conducting survey work and planning for invasive weeds eradication, and a variety of other duties necessary to achieve Conservancy goals.</p>
Required Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Possession of a valid California Drivers License and satisfactory driving record• Four year degree in environmental science, engineering, or related field.• Ability to work independently, take initiative, and solve problems• Ability to perform work in rough terrain, lift heavy objects, and work for extended periods of time in various weather conditions• Familiarity with restoration techniques and/or project management• Attention to detail and ability to organize data• Basic computer skills such as word processing and spreadsheets• Basic understanding of Tahoe environmental issues and concerns
Desirable Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Experience with monitoring, planning, or implementation of stream restoration projects, including experience conducting specific monitoring surveys such as wildlife, vegetation, water quality, geomorphology, etc.• Specialized experience in GIS, restoration ecology, leading field crews, or restoration monitoring• Familiarity with CEQA and/or NEPA• Knowledge of Sierra Nevada ecosystems and environmental issues in the Lake Tahoe Basin

Submit a letter expressing your interest, current resume and TRCD application to:

1061 Third Street
South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150

TRCD application can be found at tahoercd.org. Email submittals accepted.

Mission Statement

Promote the conservation and improvement of the Lake Tahoe Basin's soil, water, and related natural resources by providing leadership, information, programs, and technical assistance to all land managers, owners, organizations, and residents.

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